

Haidakhandi Universal Ashram and The Maha Lakshmi Shop

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Free Shipping (with \$5 handling fee) on items 1lb. and less (US only).

(Includes CD's, small murtis, photos, dvd's, jewelry, most books & cloth items.)

Upcoming Events

May 8 - 9am - noon - Karma Yoga Morning and Bal Gokulam (children's program)

May 13 - New-Moon Fire Ceremony at 10am followed by a meal.

May 14 - Chanting Evening with Ramloti at Unity Spiritual Center (formerly Christ Unity Church) located at 9800 Candelaria NE. Albuquerque, NM from 7 - 9pm.

May 27 - Full-Moon Fire Ceremony at 10am followed by a meal.



The Babaji Ashram is located in the beautiful mountains of southern Colorado in Crestone. **Haidakhan (Herakhan) Baba**, also known as Mahavatar Babaji from Autobiography of a Yogi by Paramahansa Yogananda, appeared in India from 1970 to 1984. Babaji instructed us to build ashrams around the world where people could come for spiritual upliftment. On our magnificent 101 acres of land we have a beautiful temple dedicated to the **Divine Mother**, many call it the Lakshmi Temple. Our beloved murti of the Divine Mother, **Haidakhandeswari**, is life-size and was installed in 1989.

We also have a large shop called the **Maha Lakshmi Shop**. In the shop we carry devotional

items and Babaji related items. These include murtis (statues) of Krishna, Durga, Ganesh, Saraswati, Lakshmi, Hanuman, Buddha, Tara, and Shiva, malas, yantras, puja (pooja) items including lotas, aarati lamps, and bells, Babaji books, Babaji videos, and

devotional chanting tapes and CD's. Some of the most popular Babaji books are I am Harmony, Fire of Transformation, Babaji - Meeting with the Truth, Babaji - Message From the Himalayas, Babaji Mahavatar, the Teachings of Babaji, and Gateway to the Light.

Life at the Ashram is styled after the life we led with Babaji at His Ashram in Haidakhan, India. We arise early for spiritual practice, meditation, and aarati (a sung worship service). We then have a simple organic breakfast followed by our main spiritual practice, karma yoga. Karma yoga is the practice of selfless service offered to the Divine. During karma yoga we try to repeat the name of the Divine as we do our service, as instructed by Haidakhan Babaji. This spiritual practice is called jap or japa. The name of God frequently used is Om Namah Shivaya. This ancient Sanskrit mantra is a powerful tool for purifying the mind. Our main meal is at 1pm and is once again simple, organic, and vegetarian. We end the day with more time in the temple singing aarati and chanting. More information about the life at the Ashram, **visiting**, and **directions** are on this web site. Thousands of visitors come here each year, many to have the darshan of the Divine Mother or Lakshmi. Those that stay and participate in the karma yoga (service) add their love and energy to this beautiful home of Mahavatar Babaji in the Rockies.

Thank you for visiting Haidakhan Baba's home home page. We will continue to add stories from devotees, newsletter articles, and other pertinent information. Enjoy and email, call, or write us with any questions, suggestions, or comments. We love to hear from you. Bhole Baba Ki Jai!

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